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1. The majority of the staff of OMU 5 (the Rostock dismantling unit) was transferred on the night of 7-8 April 1948 from Rostock to Halle/Amendorf. A rear party under the command of a Major Malechin was left in Rostock and is at present engaged in the dismantling of barracks of the Sportpalast and in Marienehe (those of the former Heinkel workers). A section is also stationed in Buckow, Rügen Island, for the purpose of dismantling a lock.
2. The principal officers of OMU 5 are:
 - Commanding Officer - Colonel Golovnirov
 - Transport Officer - Captain Cherstov
 - Technical Chief - Ptichkin (fnu)
 - Political Chief - Kolchin (fnu), Communist Party Secretary
 - Supply Officer - Captain Lovtsov
3. State of dismantling:
 - a. Heinkel Works, Marienehe - completely dismantled except for Shed 34 and one (?) lathe.
 - b. Arado Aircraft Works, Warnemünde - completely dismantled.
 - c. Bachmann Aircraft Works, Ribnitz - completely dismantled.
 - d. AA School, Rerik - completely dismantled.
 - e. Potnitz, Jessenitz and Sassnitz, Rügen Island - all military installations dismantled.

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